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Military Airfield MALE BIELICE - SLOVAKIA.

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1. Location: About 200 meters from the village of MALE BIELICE, district of BATOVANY, now called PARTYZANSKE.
 2. This airfield used to belong to the BATA Shoe factory at BATOVANY. In 1950 it was taken over by the Military Authorities who constructed three runways, a large parking place in front of the hangars, and rebuilt the buildings. It is now a training airfield. Gliders are in one hangar.
 3. Road to Airfield: A gravel road from MALE BIELICE follows the northern edge of the airfield. 50X1-HUM
 4. Buildings:
 - a) administrative building 9 (No.1 on sketch) size 15 x 10 m,
 - b) personnel billets (No.2), size 25 x 10 meters,
 - c) Billets for glider-pilots (No.3), size 25 x 10 m, (Lecture rooms for army glider-pilots and accommodation for pupils) 50X1-HUM
 - d) Stores for material (No.4), size 20 x 8 m, ground floor.
 - e) Hangars (Nos 5,6,7) of reinforced concrete, size 80 x 60 x 10 meters - corrugated iron roof.
- The concrete parking place for aircraft (No.8) - size 400 x 100 meters, is in front of the hangars.
5. Runways: Three concrete runways (Nos 9,10,11), size 1,000 x 50 meter each, extend from the parking place. The concrete layer is 10-15 cm thick.
 6. Airfield: The surface of the airfield (size 1,600 x 1,200 meters) is hard sod; its boundaries are marked with rectangular strips (size 2 x 10 meters each) painted with oil-paint onto the ground; distance between the strips is 150 meters. There are lamps near the Admin. building and near the hangar; a searchlight on the Admin. building.
 7. Aircraft Park: 3 Fieseler-Storch, one biplane of unknown production.
 8. Troops: About 200 - 250 men belonging to a Regiment in NITRA;
 9. Building material: The piling in of construction material near the field suggests the intention of expanding the airfield.
 10. Additional lighting: The whole airfield is to be provided with searchlights round its boundaries.

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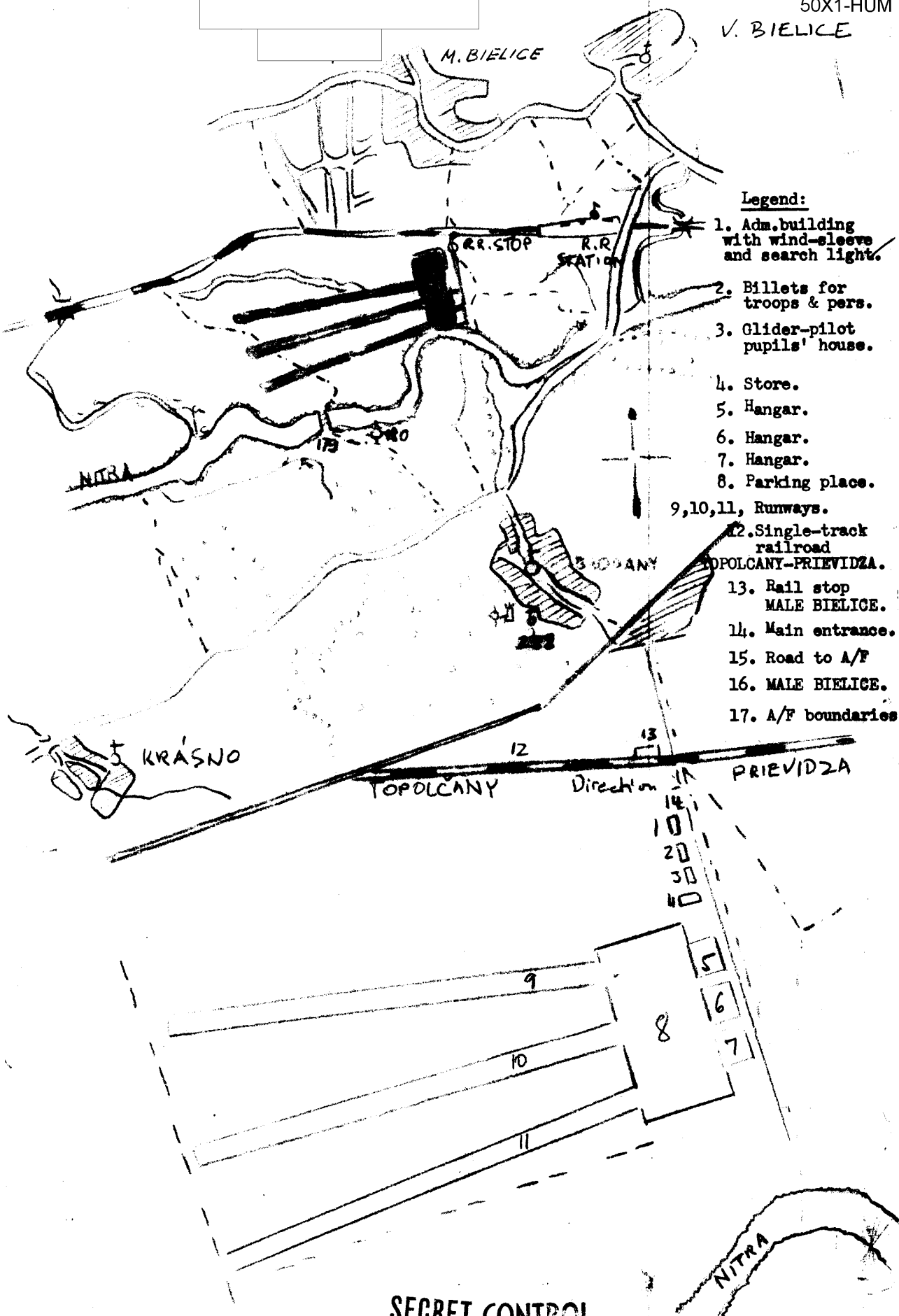
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M. BIELICE



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Military Airfield P I E S T A N Y.

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1. Location: North of PIESTANY (see attached sketch).
 2. Boundaries: North-Civilian Airfield.
East - Road PIESTANY to the Civilian Airfield.
West - Rail PIESTANY/TRENCIN.
South - the only fence - 180 cm high with double-barbed wire.

Entrance to the Airfield is prohibited.

3. Guards: At the main entrance (3 men)
along the boundaries (13 men)
Wooden huts about 2.5 meters above ground (1 man in each - armed with sub-machine gun, model A).
4. Buildings: (No.1) - about 14 wooden huts serving as billets for about 300 men of the Airforce.
(No.2) - stores.
(No.3) - Admin.offices, radar room, wind sleeve.
(No.4-7) - Hangars (60 x 45 x 12 meters).
(No.8) - Guards' wooden huts.
5. Size of Airfield: 1,400 x 1200 meters hard ground, grass.
6. Runways: 3 concrete, 10 cms thick, 1000 x 50 meters.
7. Aircraft Park: 2 Russian "BATA", several FIESLER Storch for towing gliders.
8. Current: Electricity from the Western Slovak Electric Power station in PIESTANY.

Legend: I. Military Airfield

1. Barracks.
2. Stores.
3. Admin. building.
4. 5,6,7, hangars.
8. Guards huts.
9. Entrance.

II. Civilian Airfield

1. Stores.
2. Platform, STB station.
3. Hangar.
4. Entrance.
5. Guard huts.

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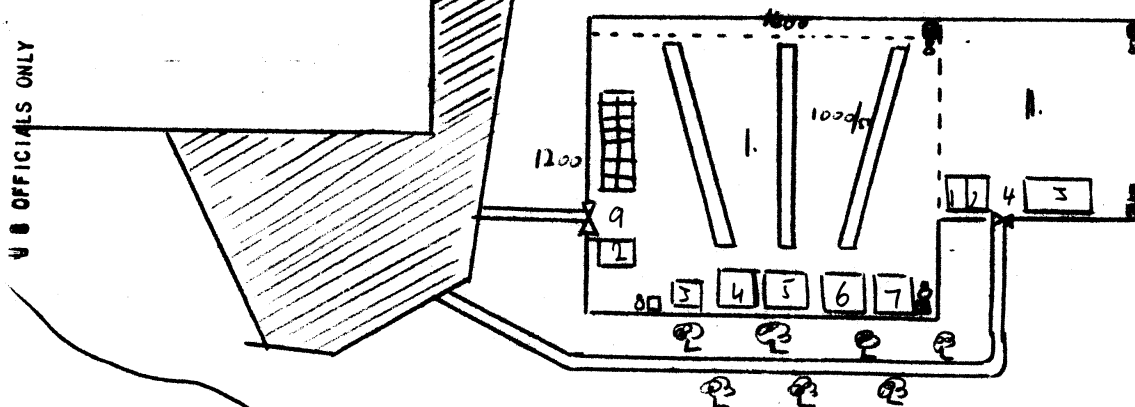
Military Airfield "PIESTANY"

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Piestany ← → Trenčín



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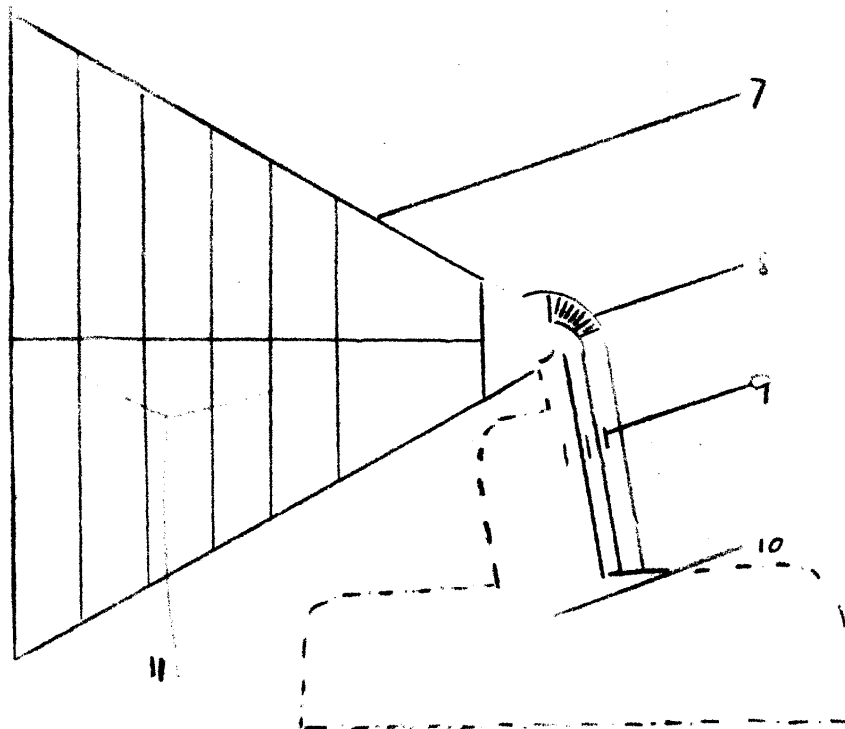
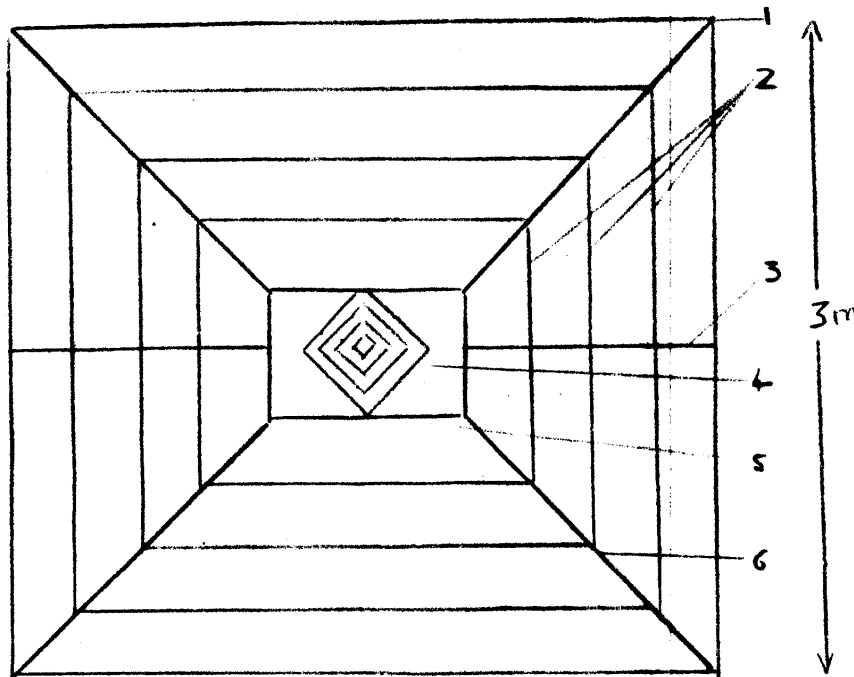
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RADAR APPARATUS ^{U S OFFICIALS ONLY} ^{PIESTANY}

- Front view:**
1. Net frame.
 2. Net.
 3. Auxiliary net.
 4. Semi-rotating sighting eye.
 5. Inside net.
 6. Outside net.

- Side view:**
7. Outside construction.
 8. Sighting eye.
 9. Rotating mechanism.
 10. Electric motor.
 11. Profile of net.

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Military Airfield I V A N K A near BRATISLAVA.

1. Location: North west of IVANKA (see attached sketch).

2. Boundaries: North - Bratislava/CEKLIS railroad.
East - wood.
South - main road IVANKA-BRATISLAVA.
West - fields.

3. Fences: Only in the south - a wire fence of 2.20 meters.

Searchlights are placed round the airfield at a distance of 150 meters from one another.

4. Guards: At the main entrance (3 men permanently);
In the hangars, armed with sub-machine guns;
On the north boundary (7 men).

The sentries are Auxiliary Technical personnel armed with sub-machine guns, model A (7.92 mm).

5. Hangars: See attached sketch (Nos 1,2,3,4) Size - 120 x 80 x 15 meters.

The wind sleeve is on top of No. 1 hangar.

6. Barracks: See attached sketch (Nos 5,6,7,8). There are
buildings, No.5: 60 x 10 x 16 m.
No.6)
No.7) 40 x 10 x 16 m.
No.8)

About 350 men are billeted there; it is not known from which unit.

The administrative building (No.5 on sketch) is in barracks building No.5 and contains offices, Radar room and W/T section.

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7. Stores: see sketch (Nos 9,10). Both buildings, 45 x 8 m, in size.

8. Size of airfield: 3,000 x 2,000 meters. Hard ground covered with grass.

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9. Runways: 2 runways - direction approx. 300, 1800 x 80 meters
 2 " " " 090, 2500 x 80 "
 1 " " " 340, 1600 x 80 "
 1 " " " 020, 1600 x 80 "

These are of grey concrete and are not camouflaged.

10. Aircraft Park: Several **SIEMEL**
 8 **MIG 15**, 4 of which were used for **SNB** patrol duties.

11. Electricity and Water Supply: from **BRATISLAVA**.

Legend: 1, 2, 3, 4, - hangars
 5, 6, 7, 8, - barracks
 5, - administrative offices
 9, 10, - stores
 11, - guard room
 12, - main entrance.

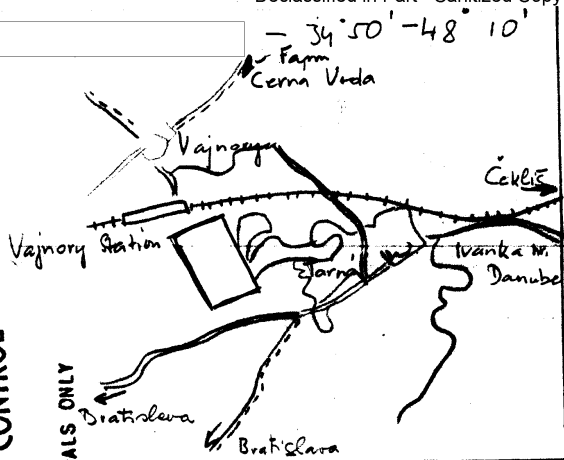
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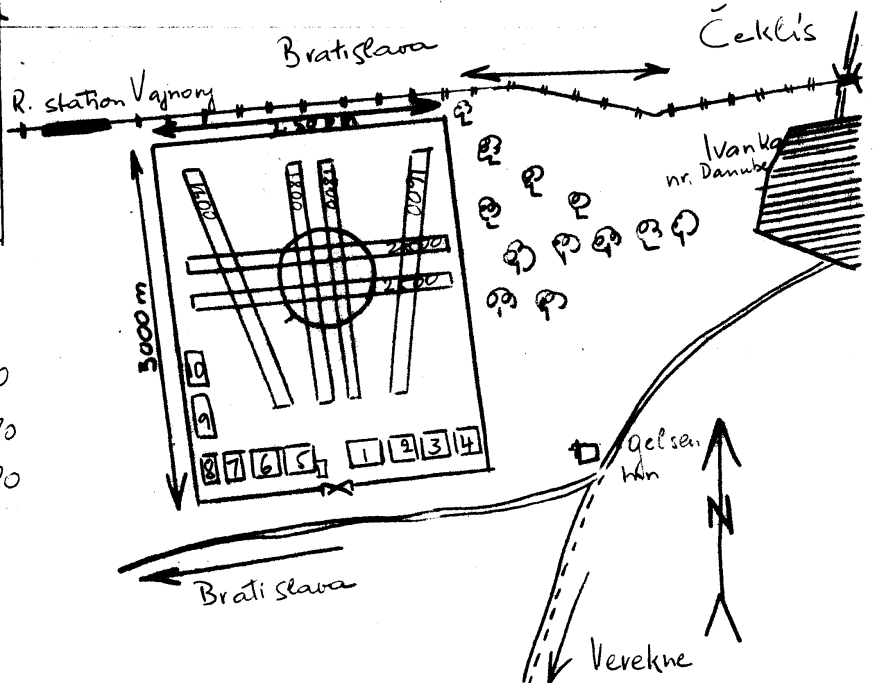
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2 R	360° -	1800 x 80
2 R	090° -	2500 x 80
1 R	340° -	1600 x 80
1 R	020° -	1600 x 80

Military Airfield "IVANKA"
district Bratislava.



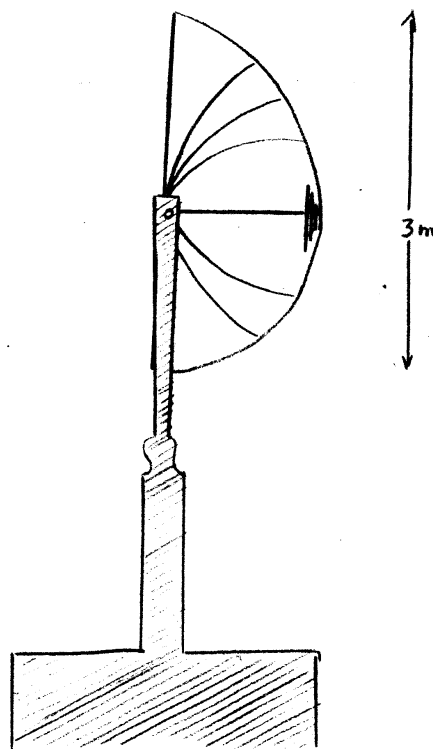
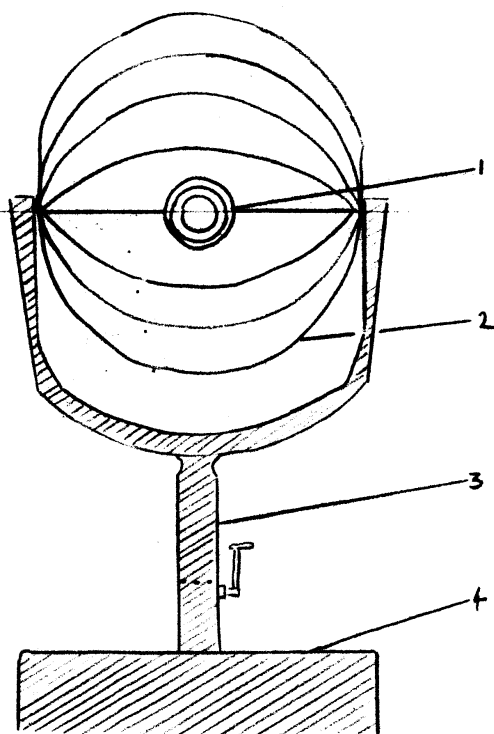
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RADAR APPARATUS A/E. IVANKA

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Legend:

1. Frame
2. Net
3. Revolving part
4. Electric motor.



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